

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

BRYAN et al.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 10, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as set forth in the following claim listing:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.